

In re application of : Confirmation No. 2639

Shu KOBAYASHI : Docket No. 2001 1009A

Serial No. 09/889,406 : Group Art Unit 1775

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RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated August 11, 2004, the period for response having been extended for one month by the attached petition, please amend the present application as follows: